

## Milwaukee County

## Supervisor Marina Dimitrijevic, 4<sup>th</sup> District

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## SUPERVISOR DIMITRIJEVIC APPOINTED TO EQUALITY WISCONSIN BOARD OF DIRECTORS

**Milwaukee, WI** – Equality Wisconsin has unanimously voted to appoint Milwaukee County Supervisor Marina Dimitrijevic to the Board of Directors for the Equality Wisconsin Fund.

The Equality Wisconsin Fund is a charitable organization that seeks to better the lives of Wisconsin gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender people by increasing public understanding and improved public policy through education, organizing, and civic engagement.

"It's an honor to have the opportunity to serve on this Board," Supervisor Dimitrijevic said. "I appreciate the support the County Board received from Equality Wisconsin when we adopted domestic partnership benefits, and I look forward to working even more closely with the Equality Wisconsin Fund in the months and years to come."

Supervisor Dimitrijevic was the lead sponsor of the resolution to extend health benefits to domestic partners of Milwaukee County employees. The initiative was approved by the County Board and signed by the County Executive.

The Equality Wisconsin Fund is a 501(c)(3) organization that advocates for equality for all Wisconsin residents through educational programs and services.

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